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Cultural Arts Board presents Artwork of Bruno Baran and Michael Gaudreau

(Bel Air, MD) - - The Harford County Department of Community Services Cultural Arts Board is pleased to announce an art exhibit of the works of Bruno Baran and Michael Gaudreau. The artwork has been displayed throughout the month of June in the Harford County Council Gallery located at 212 S. Bond Street, BelAir, MD 21014.

Bruno Baran, Chair of the Fine Arts Department at The John Carroll School, studied painting and art education at the Maryland Institute College of Art. Baran considers himself a traditional landscape, portrait painter whose work has been compared to John Sloan and other Ashcan painters of the early 20th century. Recent work has taken on a new urgency with color and light, in quick painting sketches of landscapes, atmosphere and ever changing light patterns.

Michael Gaudreau, storyteller and faculty member of the Fine Arts Department at The John Carroll School, received his Bachelor's Degree in Art Education from Towson University and his Master's Degree from Parsons School of Design and Bank Street College of Education NYC. "The natural world and the rural landscape have always been important to me. I grew up around water, boats, woods and streams so I am drawn to the countryside as a subject not only for the memories evoked, but for the sense of joy it gives me just being there," said Gaudreau.

The Harford County Department of Community Services Cultural Arts Board, located at 319 S. Main Street, Bel Air, MD 21014, is a commission granted by the Harford County Council that serves to encourage the growth and stability of cultural organizations in Harford County. For additional information call 410-638-3578; go to www.culturalartsboard.org or visit the Harford County Cultural Arts Board Facebook page.

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